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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 119 (a) and (b), enclosed is a certified copy of the priority document relied on for a priority date by the above captioned application. This priority document is French application number 0215550, filed December 9, 2002.

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